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Letter from Jane W. Cary, Wellesley, Massachusetts to Mrs. Wren B. Cary, Windsor, Connecticut, 1914 May 20

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20 May 1914.

Mommy dear,

When I read Helen's letter this morning and she spoke of a bureau, I could hardly believe it was true. I wanted to shout for joy until I suddenly realized that that is an awful loss for a Commencement present. Don't you remember how you told me when I graduated from high school that I mustn't ever expect anything like the things I had then when I graduated from college? That little remark always seemed to stick in my mind, so I really am prepared for not having anything. When you have done so much

for me all through college,
getting my clothes and
extras, it seems hardly
as if you should feel
that you must do some-
thing now.

Helen asked if I had extra
pictures finished. I didn't
because I thought I'd have
extra ones anyway; as it
was they gave me 53 in-
stead of 50. I am sorry I
didn't send three different
kinds, I meant to, but I
guess I was sort of mixed
up with so much company.
Did I tell you that Helen
Wheelie's sister Alice stopped
Sunday afternoon in the midst
of all the other excitement?
It is a wonder I packed
anything to send.

With very much love
from your very loving Jamie
to my very dear Mamma